

DRAFT AGENDA for UAA Guidance meeting----Looking to schedule this in early MAY

Slide show with the following story:

1. Work so far
 - Internal subcommittee
2. Underlying goals used in developing the guidance
 - Give enough information to people interested in UAAs that they will know what is needed to support a rule change - a \$\$ issue
 - Try to address/acknowledge the most common questions that will come up
3. Challenges
 - Ecology resources that will be needed to review UAAs, especially the economic analyses, and to take the UAA through rulemaking
 - The voluntary vs. prescriptive issue (the UAA is voluntary for the applicant, but Ecology's needs sufficient data to support a rule change, and this indicates possible prescriptive requirements)
 - Dams and UAAs, coordinating with the FERC guidance
 - Encouraging intergovernmental and public participation in the UAA upfront
4. How we envision the guidance document
 - Topically Comprehensive (not including details of monitoring and statistical analysis for example)
 - Heavily linked to other web sources
 - Adaptable (periodic review to incorporate what we've learned)
5. Structure of draft document
 - Group examines table of contents
7. Group assignment
 - Review TOC and suggest specific additional questions that need to be addressed
 - Brainstorm alternative approaches that Ecology could use to review economic analyses